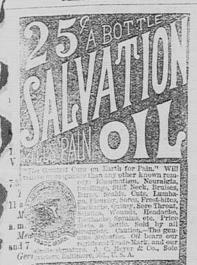
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remarked by William Gaylord, the contorlargest amount any concern had ever owned. The cartoon, which attracted so much attention, of "Bring that Skiff Over Here" was in the lot. We went on the road, did a mon-ster business everywhere, turned away peo-

elling by his own train, and purchased an engine, a sleeper and a baggage car at an enormous expense. All dates for two weeks were cancelled, and we went junketing, Johnny footing all the bills. In Erie we had a \$500 supper, and so it went. It was here that Johnny bought his first back. After a short ride he presented it to the driver. Our dates being cancelled, Johnny insisted upon indemnifying us for the loss of time. He paid all salaries and then estimated the probable business receipts upon the basis of packed houses and paid that over to Seth Slocum, our treasurer.

"In Chicago Johnny gave another exhibition of his eccentric traits. He leased the Academy of Music for the season, and we did a big business. Finally he proposed a benefit for Skiff & Gaylord, and sent over to rent the Crosby Opera House, then the first in the country. The managersent back the insolent reply to the overture, 'We wont rent our house for a — nigger show.'
Johnny got warm in the collar. He and I
went down to his office in Root & Cady's

music store.
""What will you take for your house' and
sell it outright?" asked Johnny of Mr. Root.

Root if that was an object. Root was thun-der struck. 'If you are that kind of a man, you can have the Opera House for the bene-fit free of charge,' Well, the benefit was the biggest success ever known in minstrel-ey. The receipts were \$2,500, and more turned away than could be given admission. Next day Johnny hunted up one of the finest carriage horses in the city and presented it to Mr. Root in recognition of the

but I have seen him spend as high as \$160,000 in one day. That was the time he hired the Continental Hotel in Philadelphia and bought the Girard House. You have doubtless heard of the circumstances. It came about in this way: We went to the Continental, and Johnny very politely said to the clerk. Will you please tell the proprietor that J. W. Steele wishes to see him?' 'No, Johnny suggested that he could make it an object in a financial way for the clerk to accommodate the whim. At this the clerk became disdainful, and Johnny tossed a bell boy a \$20 gold piece with a like request. The result was an interview in the office with the landlord forthwith. Johnny claimed he had been ill-treated, and requested the summary dismissal of the clerk. The propriefor refused, and then Johnny asked for the price of the hotel, offering to buy it. The man said he could not sell, because he was

ed Johnny.

'Supposing I give you \$8,000 for the priv-

'Well, that alters matters somewhat." "A bargain was made, the \$8,000 was paid over and Johnny was installed as landlord. He made me a bell boy, while Slocum offici ated as clerk. The doors were thrown open and every guest in the house had his fill of wines and edibles free of cost. In fact, a huge placard was posted in front of the botel, 'Open house to day; every-thing free; all are welcome!' Oh; it was a merry lark. The whole city ap-peared to catch on, and the house was full. When Johnny thought he had had fun enough be turned the hostelry over to the laudlord, who at once reinstated the odious clerk. Here was a howdedo. Johnny was frantic with rage. He went over to the

so long as the arrangements continued.
"The day of the hotel transaction we were

it was impossible, as he had a party in the store. Johnny tossed him a \$100 bill, and the driver said he would chance it. When we arrived at the hotel Johnny said: 'See here, Cabby, you're a likely fellow. How would you like to own that rig?' The driver thought ne was joking, but space, unless the excess is paid for at transient rates and under no circumstances will they be allowed to accertise other than their legitimate business in the space contracted for. owner in Philadelphie. It was about 1866 that Johnny went broke, poor fellow. All this talk about his lighting eights with \$100 bills is nonsense. He was a spendthrift, but he usually spent his money where he thought it would benefit some o e"-St. Paul Globe.

"The Proper Study of Mankind is Man,"

says the illustrious Pope If he had included woman in the list, he would have been nearer the truth, if not so poetical. Dr. R. V. Pierce has made them both a life study, especially woman, and the peculiar de-rangements to which her deficate system is liable. Many women in the land who are acquainted with Dr. Pierce only through his "Favorite Prescription," bless him with all their hearts, for he has brought them the panacea for all those chronic silments preculiar to their sex; such as leverrhæs, pro-lapsus and other displacements, ulceration, 'internal fever," bloating, tendency to in ternal cancer, and other ailments Price re duced to one dollar. By druggists.

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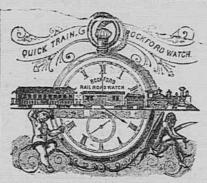
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ALEXANDRIA, VA., December 22, 1887.

10 ROBERT W. FENWICK and ANNIE E. FENWICK, his wife, grantors, and S. CHAPMAN NEALE, grantee and trustee, all of the city of Washington, D. C.

You are hereby notified that on the 1st day of the February term, 1888, of the Cornoration Court.

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the February term, 1888, of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., we shall apply, by motion, to the said Court to appoint George A. Mushbach; of the said city of Alexandria, trustee in a certain deed from Robert W. Fenwick and wife to S. Chapman Neale, dated August 25, 1877, and recorded in the Clerk's office of said Court, in liken No. 6, n. 299, in the place and steed of S. liber No. 6, p. 392, in the place and stead of S. Chapman Neale, trustee, who has removed beyond the limits of the State of Virginia.

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dec22 w4w The beneficiaries in said deed.

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Coal Oil Johnny. "Travelled? Ob, yes; I've travelled quite a bit in my time. In fact, I've been around the world three times." This was tionist, to the writer in Minneapolis the other evening. "And I've had many queer experiences," he resumed. "Do you know, Coal Oil Johnny was my particular risend in his palmiest days? Well he was. Indeed, I was his room mate when he cut his antics which made him celebrated as the most accentric millionaire on earth. It was from 1863 to 1869. You see, I was with the Skiff & Gaylord minstrels. Johnny, whose real name is John W. Steele, saw our performance in Philadelphia, and he got struck on the business and bought a third interest in the show. His first move was to get \$5,000 worth of wood cuts at the his own ex-pense. They were all the way from a onesheet to a twenty-four sheet size, and the

ple, and were prosperous.

"Reaching Utica, N. Y., Johnny treated to a supper for the company, which cost \$1,000. He then conceived the idea of trav-

"'I don't want to sell,' said he.
"' I'll give you a liberal price. Money is "Then Johany pulled out his roll from his value and counted out \$200,000, and asked

courtesy.
"Oh, Johnny was a prince with his money.
His income at that time was \$15,000 a day,

not the entire owner. 'Will you lease it for to-day, then?' ask-

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